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Heavy Khmer Communist shell fire has closed the resupply waterway leading to Kampot. Replacement artillery along with badly needed ammunition and food remain aboard Cambodian navy landing draft at the mouth of the waterway. Navy craft on April 8 were able to land over 500 reinforcement troops on the coast just south of Kampot, however, and these troops are trying to work their way toward Kampot. Kampot's northern and eastern perimeter was the scene of steady but inconclusive fighting yesterday. Little significant combat activity occurred elsewhere in the country.

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